

OFFICERS OBJECT TO SALE'S RULING

Charge Politics Influenced Disbandment of Coast Artillery.

GOVERNOR NAMES DELEGATES

Will Attend Charities Conference in Boston—Arranging for Luray Camp.

It was stated in a Norfolk paper yesterday that non-commissioned officers of the disbanded Coast Artillery Corps would address a letter to Adjutant-General W. W. Sale "demanding an explanation of his statements that the War Department is encouraging the formation of an artillery organization." The article goes on to say that these officers will take such a step because they were "stripped of their chevrons for what they say were the sins of others."

General Sale is ill and will probably not be well enough to make reply for some days.

It will be recalled that only recently the entire corps of coast artillery, composed of four companies, located at Norfolk and Portsmouth, was disbanded, as a result of the examination made into its affairs by a court of inquiry. While the evidence was never made public, the findings of the court were promptly approved, putting the command out of existence and recommending the formation of two new companies, one at Norfolk and the other at Portsmouth.

Want New Company.

More recently C. P. Heilmann, of Portsmouth, the former captain of the Fourth Company, applied for and was granted permission to organize a new company in his city. Still later, it was reported from Norfolk that a crack infantry company was being formed there, to include many of the former coast artillerymen. It was also stated that the non-commissioned officers of the disbanded branch of the service were prominent in this movement.

General Sale thereupon wrote a letter to those engaged in working up the infantry command, expressing the desire that a coast artillery company be first organized. He told the men that it is the policy of the War Department to encourage this branch, and that men engaged in it can get practically anything they want from the national government.

The ex-non-commissioned officers say that the incompetent and undesirable officers of the coast artillery should have been court-martialed, and that the entire battalion should not have been made to suffer. They say further that they will appeal to the War Department in the matter of creating the infantry company unless General Sale accedes to their wishes.

"Political Influence."

Further, according to the Norfolk paper, the former artillerymen charge "that political influence, wielded by the infantry, played a big part in the order of Governor Mann, making a clean sweep of the Norfolk and Portsmouth corps."

It was pointed out yesterday among military men that the arguments of the disgruntled ones defeat each other. If the infantry, they ask, wanted the coast artillery abolished, why should they should General Sale, if he is taking the infantry side, demand the formation of a new coast artillery company instead of infantry. It is not believed here that anything will come of the kick.

DELEGATES NAMED

Virginians Will Attend National Charities Conference.

Governor Mann yesterday announced the appointment of the following delegates to represent Virginia at the thirty-eighth annual session of the National Conference of Charities and Correction, which will be held in Boston, Mass., June 7 to June 14: Rev. Asa Driscoll, Accomac; Captain W. Horace Jeffrey, Berkeley Springs; S. W. Broadbent, Bowling Green; Mrs. C. T. Reeves, Boydton; Rev. Julius Pohl, Bristow; J. H. Lindsay, Charlottesville; Colonel

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Richmond; Mrs. M. C. Branch, Richmond; C. B. Cooke, Richmond; Miss Mary Norwood, Richmond; Miss Hattie Sellers, Richmond; Miss Ada Van Stone Harris, Richmond; E. W. Duke, Richmond; Mrs. E. C. Minor, Richmond; Miss Constance McKelvie, Richmond; Mrs. Barton Wise, Richmond; Miss Elizabeth Detwiler, Richmond; Mrs. Charles E. Bolling, Richmond; Dr. Frank Reade, Richmond; E. F. Burnette, Roanoke; Rev. J. L. Corbett, Salem; Dr. S. M. Terrell, Salem; J. W. Holloway, Suffolk; Rev. G. H. McFadden, Suffolk.

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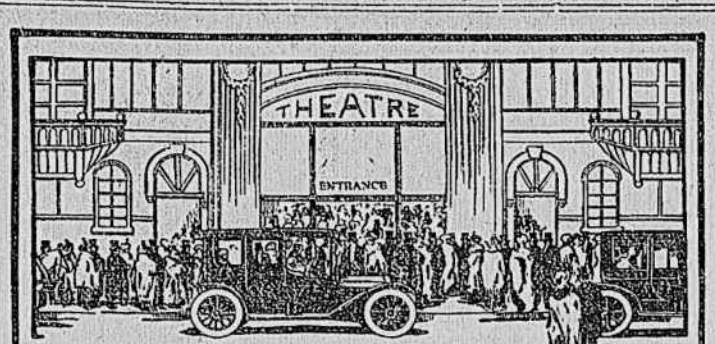
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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Alexandria, Va., May 9.—In the Police Court this morning, James P. Cook, a husband of but seven months, who is less than twenty-one years old, and who had a young wife also less than age, was bound over in bond in the sum of \$100 to keep the peace for a period of six months.

Cook's young wife appeared as the principal complainant. She alleged that he had threatened to kill her and also threatened self-destruction with laudanum. The only charge against him on the blotter was disorderly conduct.

Cook denied this, and claimed he locked his wife in her room because she had frequently complained that she was afraid to be alone. Cook also emphatically denied that he had made any threats against the life of his wife. An ounce phial of laudanum found on him, he said, was used for a boil on his neck.

Announcement is made that through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce, Alexandrians can now secure a five days' excursion ticket to Richmond for \$5. The rate heretofore has been \$2.70 straight fare. Alexandrians will, therefore, save 40 cents by the transaction.

Sixteen members of Post P. Travelers' Protective Association, will leave here at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon to attend the State convention of that organization, which convenes in Danville Friday next. The delegates are: J. William May, W. H. T. Brooke, M. L. Price, Jr., Raymond Hulfish, T. A. Summers, H. L. Reed, W. N. Lindsey, Alfred Thompson, W. G. Leadbetter, Albert McCuen, R. E. Knight, O. H. Kirk, W. G. Rogers, A. D. Brockett, J. Williams.

Joint memorial services will be held here Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of the machinists, glassblowers and carpenters. The services will be held in the Young People's building, where the Methodist Episcopal Church, South Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will deliver the memorial address, afterward the members will visit the cemeteries and decorate graves of members.

A Southern Railway freight car last night jumped the track and demolished the rear portion of the four-story brick warehouse at the southeast corner of King and Union Streets.

Mrs. Nancy J. Treaskie, eighty-three years old, died this morning at her home, 519 South Lee Street. The deceased was the widow of Captain William H. Treaskie, and was a native of King George county, Va. Three sons survive.

The May term of the Corporation Court, Judge L. C. Barley presiding, convened this morning, when the docket was called and cases set for trial.

Members of M. D. Corne Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, have accepted an invitation to attend the reunion at Fairfax, June 1, next, under the auspices of Marr Camp Confederate Veterans. They will go in a body.

WAS ATTORNEY TO ATTORNEYS

Originator of New Scheme Dies Suddenly in New York.

New York, May 9.—Bradford Arthur Bullock, a well known lawyer of this city, died suddenly Sunday of heart failure in the New York Athletic Club. Mr. Bullock was born in Jackson, Ind., forty-nine years ago, educated in Terre Haute and admitted to the bar in Indiana in 1894.

In 1897 he originated the business of acting as attorney to attorneys, being an intermediary between lawyers in all parts of the United States. He wrote much for legal magazines and was one of the organizers of the Commercial Law League of America.

Nezro Caught Robbing Car.
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Lynchburg, Va., May 9.—Caught in a freight car, in the local Chesapeake and Ohio Railway yards, and before he had time to get away with booty, Robert Henderson, colored, is in jail here awaiting the action of the June grand jury. The yard foreman found the negro, closed the door on him, and telephoned to a policeman, who locked the negro up.

VOTES CAST BY WOMEN IN ELECTION AT WAYNESBORO

Basic, Va., May 9.—An election was held in Waynesboro to-day to decide whether the town should be bonded for \$50,000 to erect another new school building, similar to the one erected here four years ago. The election resulted in an overwhelming majority in favor of the bonding. Nearly one-third of the votes were cast by women.

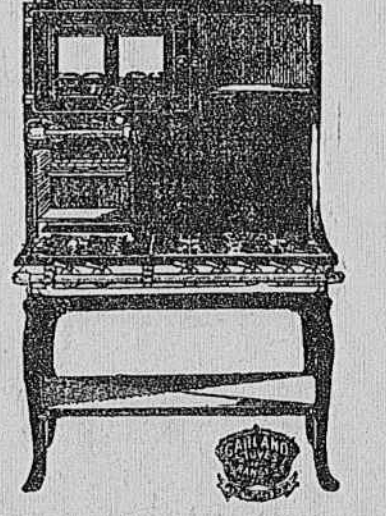
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